

103D CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

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Whereas there are 104 historically black colleges and univer-
sities in the United States;

Whereas such colleges and universities provide the quality
education so essential to full participation in a complex,
highly technological society;

Whereas black colleges and universities have a rich heritage
and have played a prominent role in American history;

Whereas such institutions have allowed many underprivileged
students to attain their full potential through higher edu-
cation; and

Whereas the achievements and goals of the historically black
colleges and universities are deserving of national rec-
ognition: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the week beginning September 19, 1993, is des-
4 ignated as “National Historically Black Colleges and Uni-
5 versities Week” and the President of the United States

1 is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation calling
2 upon the people of the United States and interested
3 groups to observe each such week with appropriate cere-
4 monies, activities and programs, thereby demonstrating
5 support for historically black colleges and universities in
6 the United States.

Passed the Senate August 5 (legislative day, June
30), 1993.

Attest:

Secretary.